

AL-ANFAAL - THE SPOILS OF WAR



POST BATTLE COMMENTARY OF BADR
CHARACTERISTICS OF THOSE WHO BELIEVE
LAWS RELATING TO PEACE & WAR
DISTRIBUTION OF SPOILS OF WAR SET BY DIVINITY

ATTRIBUTES OF BELIEVERS - PART 2
MUHAJIRUN (THOSE WHO MIGRATED) AND ANSAAR (THOSE WHO HELPED)
MIGRATE (MAKE A PARADIGM SHIFT)
STRIVE IN ALLAH'S WAY
PROTECTED AND PROVIDED HELP TO HUMANITY

CHALLENGES OF THE BATTLE OF BADR
VICTORY OVER GREAT ODDS WITH DIVINE HELP
GUIDELINES OF WAR AND PEACE
STAND FIRM, PERSEVERE, DONT ARGUE
WITH EACH OTHER & PREPARE
TRUST IN ALLAH
DEALING WITH CAPTIVES

KHUMS

1/5th



BEHAVIOURS OF THOSE WHO COVERED UP THE TRUTH
PLOTING AGAINST THE PROPHET - ALLAH THE BEST OF PLANNERS

OBEDIENCE TO ALLAH & HIS MESSENGER

LISTEN 20
RESPOND 24
DO NOT BE DISOBEDIENT 27

KEEP YOUR PROMISES 27
WEALTH & CHILDREN A DIFFICULT TEST 28
BE GOD CONSCIOUS 29

DIVINE HELP AT BADR

DUA OF DESPERATION FROM PROPHET FOR HELP 9
HELP IN THE FORM OF 1000 ANGELS, TRANQUIL AND FIRM HEARTS AND STEADY FEET

ATTRIBUTES OF BELIEVERS AND RECOMPENSE - PART 1

OVERAWED (HEARTS TREMBLE) WHEN THE NAME OF ALLAH IS MENTIONED
INCREASED FAITH WHEN THE VERSES OF QUR'AN ARE RECITED
TRUST IN DIVINITY
ESTABLISH SALAA
SPEND OUT FROM WHAT DIVINITY GRANTS

ANFAAL (SPOILS OF WAR)

DIVINITY SETS THE LAWS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF ANFAAL (SPOILS OF WAR)



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Ayaat 72-75

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Ayaat 42-71

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Aya 41

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Ayaat 30-40

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Ayaat 20-29

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Ayaat 5-19

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Ayaat 2-4

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Aya 1

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75 Ayaat (Madani)

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DID YOU KNOW?

THE WORD ANFAAL COMES FROM NAFALA WHICH MEANS EXTRA. THE SPOILS OF WAR REFERRED TO HERE WERE AN EXTRA BONUS FOR THE MAIN REASON TO FIGHT WAS NOT TO GAIN SPOILS OF WAR
6 VERSES BEGIN WITH 'O YOU WHO BELIEVE'
8 ATTRIBUTES OF TRUE BELIEVERS

SELECTED AYAAT

8:1 Anfaal
8:24 Life
8:29 Forgiveness
8:41 Khums
8:53 Qadha & Qadr

NARRATIVE

IT BEGINS WITH THE JUST DISTRIBUTION OF THE SPOILS OF WAR AND THE ASSISTANCE OF ANGELS AND THE WILL OF ALLAH IN DETERMINING VICTORY AT THE BATTLE OF BADR WHICH IS THE MAJOR THEME OF THIS CHAPTER. VERSES 2-4 AND 72-75 HIGHLIGHT THE ATTRIBUTES OF TRUE BELIEVERS AND THEIR RECOMPENSE.
OBEDIENCE TO ALLAH AND HIS MESSENGER AND THE BEHAVIOUR OF THOSE WHO PLOTTED AGAINST THE PROPHET IS HIGHLIGHTED.
VERSE 41 FOCUSES ON KHUMS
THE CHAPTER CONTINUES WITH THE CHALLENGES AND TRIALS OF THE BATTLE OF BADR AND GUIDELINES FOR DEALING WITH THE CAPTIVES AS WELL AS THE OBSERVATION OF TREATISE.
THE LAST PART OF THE CHAPTER ADDRESSES THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THOSE WHO HAD MIGRATED FROM MAKKA AND THOSE WHO ASSISTED THEM IN MADINA OUTLINING THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES TOWARDS EACH OTHER.